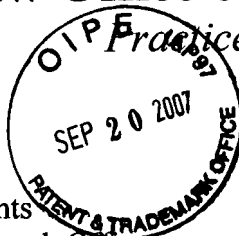




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Re: Response to Restriction Requirement
Appl. No.: 10/585,727
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Title: **Method for Producing 2-Amino-4,6-Dichloro-5-Formamidopyrimidine**
Inventor(s): GÜthner, *et al.*
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Dear Sir:

The following documents are being forwarded for appropriate action by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office:

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 29, 2007 in which the Examiner imposed a restriction requirement on the claims of the above-captioned application, Applicants hereby elect the claims of restriction Group I. This includes claims 21-41 directed to a process for making the intermediate 2-amino-4,6-dichloro-5-formamidopyrimidine.

This election is made without traverse.

Applicants do not believe that any fees are required for the filing of the present document. Nevertheless, any fees that may be needed may be charged to our Deposit Account No. 50-4056 under Order No. 7601/88230.

If, in the opinion of the Examiner, a phone call would help to expedite the prosecution of this application, the Examiner is invited to call Applicants' undersigned attorney at (240) 683-6165.

Respectfully submitted,

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